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PLEASE APES  
ANDREW JOHNSON.

Addressing a wildly enthusiastic  
audience at Laurens, S. C., yesterday,  
in his campaign for the United States  
Senate, Gov. Cole L. Blease told of  
recent attacks which had been made  
upon him.

"It is reported that I will be as-  
sassinated here today," said Governor  
Blease. "If the assassin is here,  
there is nothing between me and the  
dirty coward. Let him shoot."

Governor Blease added that he be-  
lieved in fatalism. The manner of  
his death had been predestined, he  
said, and nothing could change it. He  
defied assassins.

During the stormy career of An-  
drew Johnson, who was President of  
the United States after the assassina-  
tion of President Lincoln, April 14,  
1865, he was often threatened with  
assassination.

While a heated political contest  
was progressing in Tennessee, John-  
son was scheduled to speak at a  
public gathering. It was currently  
reported that should Johnson appear  
at the meeting he would be killed by  
one of his foes. Johnson evidently  
believed in the adage, "Men sworn  
for always live longest." He, there-  
fore, made his preparations to appear  
at the gathering. When announced,  
he mounted the stand and removed  
from his pockets two pistols. He then  
said: "I understand that I am to  
be assassinated tonight. If this is  
a fact, I desire that this feature of  
the program be enacted first." John-  
son then took his seat. After re-  
maining in the chair a few minutes  
he arose and said: "My information  
seems to have been incorrect," after  
which he proceeded to deliver his  
speech.

#### ENCOURAGING OUTLOOK.

In the proceedings of the Retail  
Merchants' Association last Tuesday  
night, published in yesterday's Ga-  
zette, it was stated that the Com-  
mercial outlook was decidedly en-  
couraging, not only in Alexandria,  
but throughout the section of country  
adjacent to this city. The crops will  
be extra large, and there is every in-  
dication of a prosperous fall trade.

This is gratifying news to the com-  
munity, and Alexandria merchants  
will take advantage of such satisfac-  
tory conditions.

While our city has not advanced  
with a leap, skip and a jump, as have  
some others in the commonwealth,  
its growth is healthy.

The careers of some of the most  
prosperous and prominent people in  
our city today show that men can  
prosper in Alexandria as well as any-  
where else if they will give their  
time and close attention to their pur-  
suits. In some cases the proprietors  
of what are now the leading places  
of business in the city commenced  
on a very small scale, their only cap-  
ital being their industry.

The encouraging words referred  
to should be a stimulus to all to use  
every exertion to further expand the

trade of Alexandria. We have all  
the facilities that could be asked for  
the prompt dispatch of business.  
Railroads from nearly every point  
of the compass cross each other's  
tracks in our city, while our water  
facilities for transportation are of  
the best.

#### CHURCHES TO INVADE MEXICO.

Five Denominations Combine for  
Evangelical Work.

New York, July 23.—That the Prot-  
estant denominations have united to  
present a common front in religious  
and educational work in Mexico, has  
been announced by Bishop W. F. Old-  
ham, chairman of the general com-  
mittee representing the various mis-  
sion boards.

As the result of the conference, it  
has been agreed to combine under the  
name of "The Evangelical Church"  
work in Mexico that has heretofore  
been carried on independently by the  
Methodist Episcopal, Baptist, Pres-  
byterian, Disciple and Congregational  
boards. The united churches will  
aim to secure "the earliest possible  
evangelization of the entire Mexican  
nation."

The plans include a more extensive  
educational program than has ever  
before been known in Mexico. A great  
co-educational university will be es-  
tablished, if the plans of the co-op-  
erating boards are carried through.  
At least one high school for each of  
the sexes will be opened in every mis-  
sion territory and schools for higher  
grades will be consolidated. Ele-  
mentary schools, where domestic and  
manual arts shall be taught, will be  
established in connection with all or-  
ganized congregations. The mission  
territory will be readjusted, so that  
no State will be without religious and  
educational effort.

#### THROWS SNAKE TO BITE MAN

Shamokin, Pa., July 23.—John Com-  
pton, a salesman of this city, is suffer-  
ing from snake bite received in a  
peculiar manner. He was watching a  
battle between a dog and the reptile  
when the dog took the snake between  
his teeth and threw it into the air.  
It landed on Compton's arm and sank  
his fangs deep in the flesh. He is in  
a serious condition today.

#### LEADBEATERS' SUCCESS.

Great Popularity of Plan to Sell  
Medicine at Half Price and  
Guarantee a Cure.

E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, the enter-  
prising druggists, rather than await  
the ordinary methods of introduction,  
urged the Dr. Howard Co. to secure  
a quick sale for their celebrated spec-  
ific for the cure of constipation and  
dyspepsia by offering the regular 50c  
bottle at half price.

In addition to selling a 50c bottle  
of Dr. Howard's specific for 25c,  
Leadbeater & Sons have so much  
faith in the remedy that they will  
refund the money to anyone whom  
it does not cure.

When your head aches your  
stomach does not digest food easily  
and naturally when there is constipa-  
tion, specks before the eyes, tired  
feeling, giddiness, bad taste in the  
mouth, coated tongue, heart burn,  
sour stomach, roaring or ringing in  
the ears, melancholy and liver trou-  
bles, Dr. Howard's specific will cure  
you. If it does not, it will not cost  
you a cent.

This latest achievement of science  
is of great value in curing sick head-  
ache. Thousands of women are today  
free from that painful disease solely  
through the use of this specific.

#### SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Pre-  
vents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do  
anything for nearly six months," writes  
Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and  
was down in bed for three months."

I cannot tell you how I suffered with  
my head, and with nervousness and  
womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he  
could not do me any good, and he had  
to give it up. We tried another doctor,  
but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take  
Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought  
it was no use for I was nearly dead and  
nothing seemed to do me any good. But  
I took eleven bottles, and now I am able  
to do all of my work and my own  
washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in  
the world. My weight has increased,  
and I look the picture of health.

If you suffer from any of the ailments  
peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui  
today. Delay is dangerous. We know  
it will help you, for it has helped so  
many thousands of other weak women  
in the past 50 years.

At all druggists.  
Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies'  
Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special  
Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home  
Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. No. 122

## WIDE OPPOSITION TO PROHIBITION LAW

Local Self Government Forces  
Ready To Give Battle To  
Drastic Measure.

Richmond, Va., July 23.—A

succinct statement of the issues  
involved in the enabling act elec-  
tion of September 22nd, issued  
today by the Virginia Association  
for Local Self Government, re-  
duces to tabular form its case  
against the enactment of a State-  
wide prohibitory law. The state-  
ment follows:

"Under local option Virginia  
has eighty-five dry counties. In  
these counties genuine prohibi-  
tion prevails solely for the reason  
that a genuine public sentiment  
in the local community desires it.  
They will remain 'dry' as long  
as this condition is supported by  
public sentiment and no longer.

"PROHIBITION UNDER LO-  
CAL OPTION IS THE  
IDEAL PROHIBITION

Because it is backed by the public  
will. It cannot be enforced

where public sentiment is hostile  
to it, as in counties or other self-  
governing units where a majority  
favors license. This has been  
demonstrated over and over again  
in cities in Maine, Kansas, Iowa,  
Georgia, Tennessee, Alabama,  
and in every other State in which  
State-wide prohibition has been  
tried.

"If the enabling act, providing  
for State-wide prohibition, get a  
majority of the votes cast in the  
election to be held on September  
22nd, the local option laws now  
in force in Virginia will be  
stricken from the statute books.  
If State-wide prohibition is de-  
fected the local option laws will  
remain in force.

"Virginia has prospered under  
local option. Is it the desire of  
the State to upset laws under  
which peace, harmony and pro-  
gress have prevailed, and turn  
to a drastic law destroying coun-  
ty control and involving the peo-  
ple in the communities in which  
prohibition is not desired in en-  
dless turmoil, strife and bitterness  
with constant violations of the  
law?"—Adv.

Economy is Wealth  
Specials for week July 20 to 25

—IONA—  
TOMATOES A Can 5c

A&P MILK Small can 5 15c  
Evaporated cans for 15c  
or 2 large for 15c

Smoked Sardines, Pacific Toilet Paper,  
can, 8c, usually 10c a 7 rolls for 25c; sold for  
can. 5c a roll.

Crine's Catsup, bottle, 5c, this week only.

Herring Marshall's kippered or 12c  
Tomato sauce can

Other Leaders this Week

Miller's Marmalade... Jar 12c Prunes, 40-50's... pound 12-12c  
Red Kidney Beans... 3 cans 25c A&P Baked Beans... No. 1 can 5c  
Reckitt's Blue... box 4 and 8c A&P Baked Beans... No. 2 can 8c  
Washboards... each 32c A&P Baked Beans... No. 3 can 12c  
Fig Bars... pound, 7c

Thea Nectar tea for Ice tea 60c lb.  
30c 1-2

Free  
Deli-  
very

BELL  
PHONE  
277  
HOME  
PHONE  
171  
525 King  
STREET

#### Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect April 12, 1914.  
For Washington and points north  
daily at 8:08 A. M., 8:43, 8:53, 11:13,  
12:01, 1:18, 2:30 through train for  
New York, via P. R. R. 6:19  
8:18, 11:33 p. m., week days, at 6:07  
p. m., Sundays only 8:07 p. m.  
For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and  
points south at 4:27, 7:53, (local) and  
10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22 5:17 (local)  
7:47, 9:47 p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg  
at 11:13 a. m., daily except Saturday,  
when train leaves 2:18 p. m. This train  
runs through to Milford except Sat-  
urdays and Sundays.

NOTE:—Times of arrival and de-  
parture and connections not guaran-  
teed.

W. P. TAYLOR, Traffic Mgr.

#### Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company.

Manufacturers of  
Fertilizers, Fertilizer Ma-  
terials and Sulphuric Acid.  
Ask your dealer for the Alexandria  
Fertilizer and Chemical Co.'s prod-  
ucts.

Capacity 50,000 Tons per Annum.

Princess St. and Potomac River.

#### ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrators  
of the estate of the late James W.  
Roberts, we request that all claims  
against said estate be duly presented,  
with vouchers for same, legally au-  
thenticated, and that all persons in-  
debted to same come forward and set-  
tle their accounts.

JAMES W. ROBERTS, JR.  
EDMUND H. ROBERTS.  
Administrators.

**AUCTION SALE.**  
I will offer for sale on Saturday,  
July 25th, at 12 o'clock in front of  
the Market Building, the old brick  
house and lot situated at the south-  
east corner of Fairfax and Queen  
streets. The lots front 55 feet, 6  
inches on Fairfax street, and 102  
feet, 4 inches, on Queen street; thence  
south 27 feet, 9 inches; thence east  
12 feet, 4 inches; thence north 83  
feet, 3 inches to Queen street, thence  
to the beginning. This is an oppor-  
tunity for a speculator as the mater-  
ial from the old brick house will go  
far toward building a row of houses  
on the lots which contain about 6000  
feet of ground.  
SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer.

#### Driving Outfits



We furnish everything  
but the horse. Buggies with  
style and endurance, wagons  
for every farm and city pur-  
pose. Harness of every re-  
quirement, stable accessories  
for every need.

**T. E. Young**  
464-466 Pa. Ave., N. W.  
Phone Main 27.  
Washington, D. C.

#### Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company.

Steamers of this line leave Alexan-  
dria Monday Wednesdays and Sat-  
urdays at 4:30 P. M.

FOR BALTIMORE AND ALL THE  
USUAL RIVER LANDINGS.  
Cuisine and appointments unexcelled.  
Freight for Baltimore, Philadelphia  
and New York solicited and handled  
with care. Through rates and bills  
of lading issued.

Single fare to Baltimore, \$3.00  
return trip, \$4.00; state rooms one  
way, \$1.50 up, meals, 50 cents.

Reardon & Grimes, Agents.

**COAL, COKE, WOOD.**  
Order your coal before the ad-  
vance at lowest summer prices.  
Best quality, prompt deliv-  
ery, and bottom price. Phone  
95. De W. Aitcheson, 107 S. Royal  
Street.



**KEEP COOL**  
and keep your food cool, too, if you  
would be healthy and comfortable  
during the dog days. The only way  
to keep the food in proper condition  
is to surround it with pure ice—not  
the cheap and dirty kind that car-  
ries contamination with it. We will  
serve you daily with the purest ice  
at a very slight cost.

#### MUTUAL ICE COMP'Y.

Correct Your System with  
Liver Searcher Tablets  
OLD DOCTOR'S REMEDY.  
Send 25c for one box.  
**SEARCHER MFG. CO.**  
Warder Bldg., Washington, D. C.

**KEELEY TREATMENT**  
successfully used  
for 34 years.  
REMOVES ALL DESIRE FOR DRINK—NO DRUGS  
812 N. BROAD ST. PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Ice Cream and Cake for  
picnics. Any flavor, style  
or quantity. We are now  
making a specialty of picnic  
orders.

**H. Bloch**  
CONFECTIONER  
Capital City Phone, 156 M.  
Bell Phone, 131.

**OFFICE AND STORES.**  
115-117 N. Royal.  
Fertilizer Factory Elevator and Mill  
Foot of Wolfe St. South Union St.  
**RICHARD H. WATTLES**  
— MANUFACTURERS OF —  
**FERTILIZERS**  
And Dealers in  
GRAIN, HAY, STRAW AND ALL  
KINDS OF MILL FEED,  
SALT, & C.

Headache and Nervousness Cured.  
"Chamberlain's Tablets are en-  
titled to all the praise I can give  
them," writes Mrs. Richard Olp,  
Spencerport, N. Y. They have cured  
me of headache and nervousness and  
restored me to my normal health. For  
sale by all dealers.

#### COLONIAL BEACH Washington's Atlantic City. STEAMER ST. JOHNS

Leaves Cameron Street Wharf  
every day, except Mondays, at 9:30  
A. M. Saturdays at 3:00 P. M.  
Dancing on the over-sea pier. Board-  
walks, saltwater bathing, fishing,  
crabbing, all amusements.  
Sundays—Adults, \$1; children 50c.  
Only season tickets sold.  
Week Days—Adults, 50c; children,  
25c. Returning same day. Season  
tickets also sold.

#### Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company.

Every day in the year for Fort Mon-  
roe, Norfolk, Newport News and  
points south, via superb powerful  
steel palace steamers.

Through connections made at Nor-  
folk with steamers of the Old Dominion  
Steamship Company for New York  
and Merchants' and Miner's Steam-  
ships for Boston.

General Ticket Office, 720 14th St.  
Bond Building, Washington, D. C.  
Phone Main 1520.  
Seventh street wharf. Phone Main  
3160.

#### WASHINGTON-VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO.

In Effect March 1, 1914.  
Subject to Change Without Notice.  
Leave Alexandria for Washington—  
Daily Except Sundays and  
Holidays.

A. M.—5 00, 5 40, 6 05, 6 20, 6 30  
6 40, 6 55, 7 05, 7 15, 7 30, 7 40, 7 50,  
8 00, 8 15, 8 25, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40  
10 00, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40,  
Noon—12 00.

P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40,  
2 00, 2 20, 2 35, 3 00, 3 20, 3 35, 3 50,  
4 10, 4 25, 4 30, 4 40, 4 55, 5 10, 5 25,  
5 35, 5 50, 6 05, 6 20, 6 30, 6 45, 7 00,  
7 15, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00,  
10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays.  
A. M.—7 00, 7 35, 8 10, 8 20, 8 40,  
9 00, 9 20, 9 40, 10 00, 10 20, 10 40,  
11 00, 11 20, 11 40. Noon—12 00.

P. M.—12 20, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40,  
2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00,  
4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20,  
6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00,  
9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10.

Leave Alexandria For Mount Vernon.  
A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 45, 7 55,  
8 55, 10 30, 11 30. —P. M.—12 30, 1 30,  
2 30, 3 30, 4 40, 5 35, 6 30, 7 35, 8 50,  
9 50, 10 50, 11 50.

Sundays—A. M. 7 00, 8 30, 9 30,  
10 30, 11 30, 12 30. P. M.—1 30, 2 30,  
3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 45, 10 15.

#### Why Suffer from Rheumatism?

When relief from rheumatic pains  
may be had at so small a cost it is  
surprising that anyone should fail to  
avail himself of it. Joseph Copparelli,  
Canastota, N. Y., suffered intensely  
with pains due to rheumatism in his  
limbs for a long time. A friend told  
him about Chamberlain's Liniment.  
One application relieved him wonder-  
fully, and a few days' treatment ef-  
fected a cure. Many others have  
found quick relief by applying this  
liniment. For sale by all dealers.

A Hint to the Wise Is Sufficient.

When constipated take Chamber-  
lain's Tablets. They are easy to take  
and most agreeable in effect. For  
sale by all dealers.

#### SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

PREMIER CARRIER OF THE  
SOUTH.

In Effect January 18, 1914.  
N. B.—Following schedule figures  
are published only as information and  
are not guaranteed.  
Trains leave Union Station, Alex-  
andria.

7:47 A. M.—Daily—Local between  
Washington & Danville delivers con-  
nection daily except Sunday at Or-  
ange to C. & O., No. 408 for Gordons-  
ville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Har-  
risonburg and way stations. Buffet  
parlor car.

9:07 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail  
stops only for passengers to points  
south to which scheduled to stop.  
First class coaches; Sleeping cars to  
Birmingham and New Orleans. Din-  
ing car service. Stops at Calverton  
to let off Warrenton branch pas-  
sengers.

10:57 A. M.—Daily—Mail train,  
coaches for Manassas, Warrenton,  
Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville  
and Greensboro. Sleeping car from  
Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:22 P. M.—Week day—limited for  
Warrenton, Charlottesville and Har-  
risonburg.

4:52 P. M.—Daily—Birmingham  
Special. Sleeping cars between New  
York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston,  
Birmingham. Through first class  
coaches between Washington, Atlan-  
ta, and Birmingham. Dining car ser-  
vice. Tourist to California daily.

3:52 P. M.—Week day. Limited  
for Harrisonburg and way stations  
on Manassas branch, also for War-  
renton. Pullman Buffet parlor car.

5:12 P. M.—Except Sunday—Local  
for warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's South-  
eastern Limited, for Asheville, Col-  
umbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta,  
Savannah and Jacksonville. Through  
Pullman Drawing room sleeping  
cars, coaches, dining cars.

11:02 A. M.—Daily—Atlanta Special.  
Solid Pullman train, sleeping  
cars to Asheville, Charlotte, Atlanta  
and Macon. Dining Car Service.

10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington  
and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynch-  
burg.) First class coaches and sleep-  
ing cars to Roanoke, Knoxville,  
Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Or-  
leans, Washington to Roanoke. Din-  
ing car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—New York,  
and New Orleans Limited. All Pull-  
man train. Club and Observation  
cars to New Orleans. Dining Car  
Service.

4:27 A. M.—Daily—Memphis spe-  
cial. Sleeping car and coaches for  
Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chat-  
tanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car  
service. Washington sleeping cars  
open 10 p. m.

For detailed schedule, figures,  
tickets, Pullman reservations, etc.,  
apply to

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Manager.  
H. F. GARY, Gen'l. Pass. Agent.  
L. S. BROWN, Gen'l. Agent.  
C. W. WESTBURY, Asst. Gen. Agt.

#### Potomac and Chesapeake Steamboat Company.

Effective May 1, 1914.

(Subject to change without notice.)  
**STEAMER FREDK DE BARY**  
Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday,  
leaves Alexandria at 9:00 A. M. for  
Massey's and intermediate landings.  
Returning, Monday, Wednesday and  
Friday, arriving in Alexandria about  
3:30 P. M.

**STEAMER WAKEFIELD**  
Monday and Wednesday leaves  
Alexandria at 6 P. M. for Parham's  
Point and intermediate landings.  
Returning Tuesday and Thursday,  
arriving in Alexandria early Wednes-  
day and Friday mornings.

**STEAMER WAKEFIELD**  
Saturday, leaves Alexandria at  
9:00 A. M. for Nomini and interme-  
diate landings. Returning Sunday,  
arriving in Alexandria about 3:30  
P. M.

**STEAMER VOLUNTEER**  
Leaves Alexandria every day, ex-  
cept Monday at 8:30 A. M. for Grin-  
ders and intermediate landings. Ar-  
rives in Alexandria on return trip  
about 4:30 P. M.

Telephone No. 50.

Reardon & Grimes, Agents.

#### Dangers of Cholera Morbus.

In almost every neighborhood some  
one has died from an attack of cholera  
morbus before medicine could be pro-  
cured or a physician summoned.  
Every family should be prepared for  
such an emergency. Mrs. E. M.  
Snyder, Herkimer, N. Y., says:  
"About four years ago my husband  
had an attack of cholera morbus. I  
gave him Chamberlain's Colic,  
Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and  
it relieved the pain immediately, and  
two or three doses of it effected a  
cure." For sale by all dealers.